

THE DRUG COURT INITIATIVE ADVISORY COMMITTEE: MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

The Judicial Council has convened the multi-disciplinary, cross-branch Drug Court Initiative (DCI) advisory committee to oversee and advise policy formulation and implementation as well as funding distribution for drug courts/problem-solving approaches in Minnesota.

The members for the DCI are as follows:

Honorable Robert Rancourt (co-chair), 10th Judicial District, Chisago County Tom Adkins (co-chair), Minnesota Association of Community Corrections Act Counties (MACCAC), Washington County Community Corrections

- 1. Justice Helen Meyer, Minnesota Supreme Court, Associate Justice
- 2. Honorable Toddrick Barnette, District Judge, 4th District, Hennepin County
- 3. Honorable Jon Maturi, Judicial Council
- 4. Honorable John Rodenberg, Judicial Council
- 5. Honorable Joanne Smith, *District Judge*, 2nd *District, Ramsey County*
- 6. Honorable Anita Fineday, Tribal Representative, Chief Judge, White Earth
- 7. Honorable Korey Wahwassuck, Tribal Representative, Chief Judge, Leech Lake
- 8. Sue Dosal, State Court Administration, State Court Administrator
- 9. Paul Maatz, Judicial Administration Directors (JAD), 9th District, Judicial District Administrator
- 10. Darrell Paske, Court Administrator, 9th District, Crow Wing County
- 11. Beverly Snow, Drug Court Coordinator, Faribault-Martin-Jackson Multi-County Drug Court
- 12. Chuck Noerenberg, Minnesota Department of Health, State Meth Coordinator
- 13. Sheriff Ross Litman, Minnesota Sheriffs' Association, Duluth
- 14. Chief Bill Gilroy, Minnesota Chiefs of Police Association, Verndale Police Department
- 15. Chris Bray, Department of Corrections
- 16. Traci Green, Minnesota Association of County Probation Officers (MACPO), Brown County Probation
- 17. Mary Ellison, Department of Public Safety, Deputy Commissioner
- 18. Wes Kooistra, Department of Human Services, Assistant Commissioner for

- Chemical and Mental Services
- 19. Carol Falkowski, Department of Human Services, Chemical Health Division, Director
- 20. Sharon Autio, Department of Human Services, Mental Health Division, Director
- 21. John Baerg, Association of Minnesota Counties (AMC), Watonwan County Commissioner
- 22. Jerry Soma, Metropolitan Inter-County Association (MICA), Anoka County Social Services Director
- 23. John Stuart, Minnesota Public Defenders, State Public Defender
- 24.Jim Backstrom, Minnesota County Attorneys Association, (MCAA), Dakota County Attorney
- 25. Barb Klein, Drug Court graduate, Stearns County
- 26. Michael Hendrickson, Drug Court graduate, Ramsey County
- 27. Terry Sluss, community member, Brainerd Public Schools
- 28. Vonnie Vayder, community member, Chisago Lakes Area Schools